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FUNK'S "G" HYBRID STRAINS FOR NORTHERN CORN BELT

FUNK'S "G" Hybrid illustrations in this circular are direct-color photographs of typical ears grown by our customers. The ears on the inside are shown in natural size and color. Those illustrated on the back pages are in natural color but are one-third of actual size.

Descriptions of the adaptation and characteristics of the strains are based on the experience of practical farmers and the observations from tests in Funk's nation-wide system of more than 2,500 Proving Plots.

The strains described in this circular include only those "G" Hybrids that have proved their superiority for the area shown on the adaptation map. Consult your local Funk's "G" Hybrid Representative for more specific recommendations and records of strains proved for and established in your locality.

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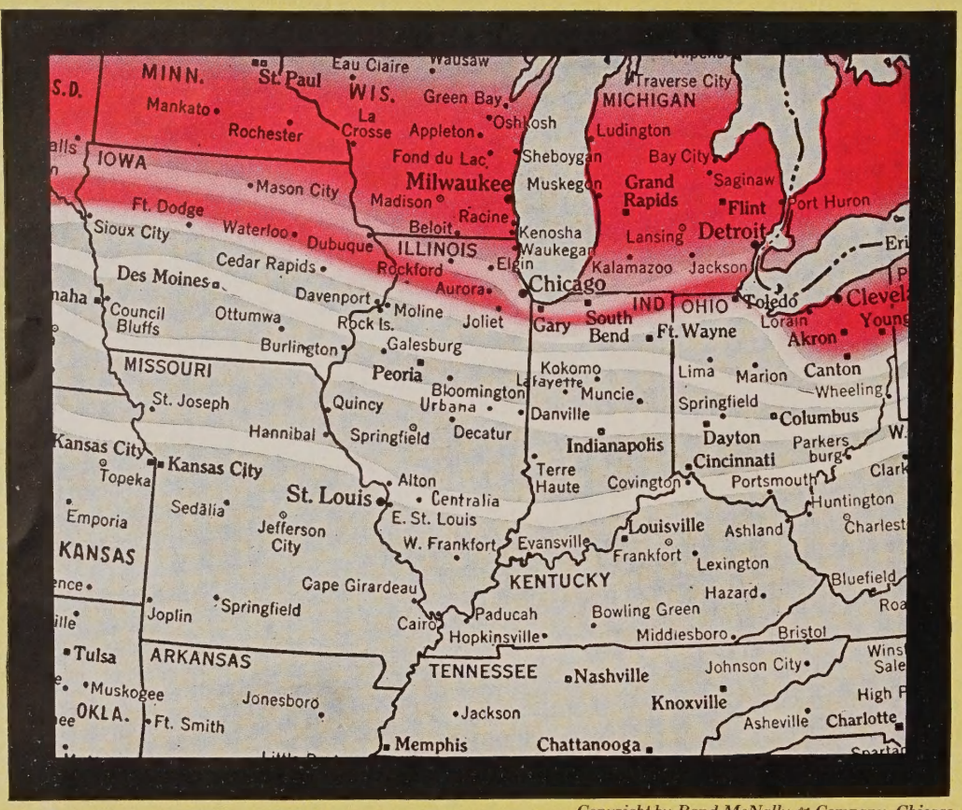

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Funk's "G" Hybrids shown here and on the following pages are adapted to the Regions shown in color on this map. Please bear in mind, however, that local conditions may affect both adaptation and performance. Select the Funk's "G" Hybrid that best fits your own requirements. There is an adapted "G" Hybrid for the conditions of your farm.

See following pages for other "G" Hybrids adapted to these regions

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FUNK'S HYBRID G-7

An outstanding early hybrid for the northern corn belt. Early enough for grain production in Central Michigan, Central Wisconsin and Southern Minnesota and corresponding maturity regions. A splendid hybrid for Northern Iowa and Northeastern Illinois, Central and Southern Michigan and the muck land of Northern Indiana, being especially desirable for those who are particular about maturity in this region (Region 1).

Funk's Hybrid G-7 is low-eared, and single-eared, producing high quality grain on a stiff stalk which makes it ideal for hand or mechanical harvesting. It is neither hard nor flinty, and livestock feeders like it because of these characteristics. Repeated tests show G-7 to be high-yielding and resistant to adverse conditions. It is a fast early grower.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-27

A stiff-stalked hybrid for the northern corn belt which is not quite so early as G-7. Adapted for high quality grain production along the Southern edge of Region 1 and all of Region 2.

A single-eared, low-eared hybrid which has made a place for itself in the northern corn belt with enviable yield records in Northern Indiana, Illinois and Iowa. Ears produced are a little longer than commonly found in early hybrids, and the grain is neither hard nor flinty, making it especially desirable for livestock feeding. G-27 starts quickly in the spring and holds its ears well in the fall. This latter characteristic along with its fine stalk quality makes it well liked for both hand and mechanical harvesting. A beautiful hybrid to look at in the field. It has a yield record and stalk quality that gives it a place second-to-none in the northern corn belt.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-12

Adapted to Region 1 and the northern part of Region 2, G-12 fits into a very important corn-growing region. It is a companion hybrid to G-7, being but a very few days later.

G-12 is rather short-stalked and stiff-stalked. It carries a single well-dented ear at convenient height for harvesting. It is at its best on the good to better soils of the northern corn belt, but does well on a wide range of soil types including muck land. G-12 is good early grower making cultivation easy. It is popular wherever grown.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-19

G-19 is a little later in maturity than G-15 and G-27, making it ideally adapted to the great important corn-growing region of North Central Iowa (Region 2), as well as Northern Illinois, Northern Indiana and corresponding adaptation regions. Funk's Hybrid G-19 has a consistently outstanding yield record in its adapted territory in Iowa, Illinois and Indiana, and also the irrigated section of Northeastern Colorado.

Its large, low ears on stiff stalks make it ideally suited to both hand and mechanical harvesting in the extremely important corn growing regions to which it is adapted. The long, deep, high quality kernels produced on G-19 ears give it a high shelling percentage so much desired. These qualities along with its quick start in the spring make it a truly superior hybrid.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-114

Full season maturity for Region 2 and southern edge of Region 1. Medium to early in Region 3.

Unusually fine stalk quality coupled with high yield make this hybrid a winner. The best three-year performance record in Northern Iowa corn yield tests. Also a top-notcher in Northern Illinois and Northern Indiana. Its resistance to drought, and ability to stand adversity with superior performance under unfavorable conditions make it especially desirable. Low-eared and single-eared, it does not drop its ears in the fall; it suits those who pick by hand or machine. The sturdy, rapid, early growth of this hybrid is a great aid in early cultivation. Excellent feeding quality also adds to its popularity.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-22

G-22 is adapted to the southern part of Region 1 and the northern part of Region 2. It is like G-114 in maturity. For something medium early is well liked in Region 3.

Medium rough dent with excellent feeding qualities characterize this hybrid. It dries out quickly when mature and has demonstrated its ability to perform well under a wide range of conditions. G-22 is single-eared and low-eared with stiff stalks that stand until harvest is complete. Those who want something in this maturity range which is *not* hard and flinty will be well pleased with this high-yielding hybrid. Demand last season far exceeded supplies. Very popular wherever grown.

Bred at the Birthplace of Commercial Hybrids

FUNK'S G HYBRID

Grown From Genuine Funk Foundation Strains

Funk's G-7

Funk's G-27

Funk's G-12

Funk's G-19

Funk's G-114

Funk's G-22

OTHER FUNK'S "G" HYBRIDS FOR REGION 1

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The "G" Hybrids here described vary somewhat in maturity to meet the different conditions of the Northern Corn Belt. While the strains on this page are adapted primarily to Region 1, they are also suitable for Region 2. Likewise, some strains on the following page may be grown into Region 1. Study adaptation requirements carefully. Ask your Funk Representative for maturity records.

← FUNK'S HYBRID G-1

Early enough for grain production in the territory north and west of St. Paul, Minnesota, and the territory fifty miles north of Madison, Wisconsin, and corresponding maturity regions across the northern corn belt. This new Funk's Hybrid has found a place for itself with those who desire very early maturity. (Earlier than G-7.)

Funk's Hybrid G-1 has superior stalk quality. It is low-eared and single-eared. Well-dented kernels make it a favorite with livestock farmers who do not like the hard flinty types. G-1 is available in limited quantities for 1942.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-2 →

Similar in maturity and adaptation to G-1, this new member of Funk's Hybrid family finds its place among the truly superior early hybrids for the northern corn belt.

Low-eared and single-eared, it produces sound grain of excellent quality. The kernels are not dented quite as much as G-1, yet they are far from being hard and flinty. Earlier than G-7, this new "G" Hybrid has a definite place in the northern corn belt where earliness of maturity is especially desired. Very limited quantities available for 1942.

← FUNK'S HYBRID G-9

G-9 is adapted to Region 1. It represents a new hybrid just a few days earlier than G-7 with all of the good qualities of stalk, ear and yield that have made G-7 a favorite.

The rich, golden, somewhat amber-colored ears of G-9 are distinctive and especially attractive to those who appreciate the finest grain qualities. Single ears of G-9 are quite long with very deep kernels of medium rough type which makes it ideal for feeding. We recommend it for those sections where G-7 might be a little late. G-9 is available in limited quantities this season.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-18 →

Another member of the group of early "G" Hybrids adapted to Region 1. G-18 is earlier than G-7 and a little earlier than G-9.

G-18 enjoys a splendid record in official yield tests both in standability and high yield. Its stiff, sturdy stalks that defy storms, and its well-dented single ear are qualities liked by farmers in the northern corn belt. It is not hard and flinty and the grain produced is of excellent quality. Only limited quantities of G-18 are available this season.

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OTHER FUNK'S "G" HYBRIDS 1942 FOR REGION 2

These popular "G" Hybrids, widely grown in Region 2, are also favorites with many farmers farther north. They complete the range of early maturities developed by Funk's to fit seasonal and climatic conditions. Choose the maturity and type of corn that fits your requirements.

← FUNK'S HYBRID G-15

An especially stiff-stalked hybrid for the northern corn belt. Not quite so early as G-7. Farmers in Southern Minnesota, Northern Iowa and Southern Wisconsin, Northern Illinois, Southern Michigan and Northern Indiana like this hybrid because it fits their maturity requirements under average farm conditions.

A single-eared, early hybrid which stands up unusually well and is adapted to a wide range of soil conditions. Its high yield, stalk and ear characteristics make it especially desirable. Livestock feeders like it because it is not hard and flinty. On high fertility levels it can be used almost as far north as G-7.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-8 →

A superior hybrid for the northern corn belt which is not quite so early as G-7 and G-15. An ideal silage hybrid for the important corn-growing regions of the northern corn belt and early enough for high quality grain along the southern edge of Region 1 and all of Region 2.

Funk's Hybrid G-8 produces ears of a rich golden color which are carried on stiff stalks with abundant foliage. Farmers like G-8 because of the uniform, medium height of ear and the high quality grain produced. It has given excellent results for extreme late planting in South Central Indiana, Illinois and Central Missouri, frequently used in this area as late as the middle of June to the first of July where earlier planting is impossible. It does well on a wide variety of soil types.

← FUNK'S HYBRID G-16

Another new member of the "G" Hybrid family, G-16 has an outstanding record in private and official yield tests in the southern edge of the northern corn belt (Region 1), and in the north part of the north central area (Region 2). Similar in adaptation to the widely used G-114.

G-16 produces a medium rough, long, cylindrical ear considered ideal by livestock feeders. Its unusually deep kernels dry out quickly in the fall under field conditions. Rapid early growth is a great aid to cultivation.

G-16 is unexcelled for either hand or mechanical harvesting. It breaks out free of husks and does not drop ears. Well adapted to varying levels of fertility.

FUNK'S HYBRID G-55 →

Full season maturity for the south half of Region 2 and medium in maturity for the northern half of Region 3. Splendid for late planting in Region 4. A beautiful silage hybrid for the southern part of Region 1 and the northern part of Region 2.

A sturdy, stiff-stalked, single-eared strain with ears carried at a medium height, producing high quality grain. It has been very popular wherever used in the region to which it is adapted. Liked by those who husk by hand or machine. It has all the qualifications that farmers want in a hybrid which may be used for livestock feeding or sold for grain. Similar in maturity to G-114.

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